

CLARENDON COUNTY OFFICE OF THE COUNTY ENGINEER

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Mr. Henry Phillips Bureau of Air Quality, SCDHEC 2600 Bull Street Columbia, SC 29201

Re: Eight Hour Ground Level Ozone Abatement Plan

Clarendon County

Dear Mr. Phillips:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Early Action Plan for Clarendon County for the abatement of ground level ozone. The plan was adopted as the recommended policy of Clarendon County by the County Council in open session, 8 March 2004, with Mr. Dwight L. Stewart, Jr., Chairman, presiding. This plan is being transmitted to you, as representative of the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, for further submission to the Environmental Protection Agency, Region IV, as an element of the Early Action State Implementation Plan.

The County will continue with the development and implementation under the Plan to establish strategies by 1 April 2005. Semi-annual, or more frequent, reporting on progress will be made to the Department toward that date.

Please contact me if there are any questions concerning this matter. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Blackmon, P.E. County Engineer

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